



# San Joaquin Valley

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT



DEC 11 2014

Glen Mears  
Plains Marketing LP  
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**Re: Notice of Final Action - Minor Title V Permit Modification**  
**District Facility # S-1199**  
**Project # 1144030**

Dear Mr. Mears:

The Air Pollution Control Officer has modified the Title V permit for Plains Marketing LP by incorporating Authority to Construct (ATC) S-1199-20-2. The ATC authorizes an increase in the number of disconnects from 10 to 30 per day.

Enclosed is the modified Title V permit. The application and proposal were sent to US EPA Region IX on November 10, 2014. No comments were received following the District's preliminary decision on this project.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Leonard Scandura, Permit Services Manager, at (661) 392-5500.

Sincerely,

Arnaud Marjollet  
Director of Permit Services

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Enclosures

cc: Gerardo C. Rios, EPA (w/enclosure) via email

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**PERMIT UNIT:** S-1199-20-3

**EXPIRATION DATE:** 05/31/2016

**SECTION:** SE10 **TOWNSHIP:** 11N **RANGE:** 23W

**EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION:**

CRUDE OIL UNLOADING RACK #227 WITH PUMP AND ASSOCIATED HOSES, VALVES, FLANGES, AND THREADED CONNECTIONS

## PERMIT UNIT REQUIREMENTS

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1. Unloading Rack 227 shall be used only for unloading. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
2. No air contaminant shall be released into the atmosphere which causes a public nuisance. [District Rule 4102]
3. Transfer rack shall be maintained and operated in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications, and operated such that there are no leaks or excess organic liquid drainage at disconnections as defined herein. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
4. All liquids and gases from the unload operation shall be routed to one of the following systems: a vapor collection and control system; a fixed roof container that meets the control requirements specified in Rule 4623 (Storage of Organic Liquids); a floating roof container that meets the control requirements specified in Rule 4623 (Storage of Organic Liquids); or a pressure vessel equipped with an APCO-approved vapor recovery system that meets the control requirements specified in Rule 4623 (Storage of Organic Liquids); or a closed VOC emission control system. [District Rules 4623 and 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
5. A floating roof container that meets the applicable control requirements of Section 5.0 of Rule 4623 (Storage of Organic Liquids) shall be considered not leaking when receiving unloaded liquids for compliance with Rule 4624. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
6. Total number of disconnects shall not exceed 30 per day. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
7. During hose disconnects the maximum liquid spillage for liquids shall not exceed 10 milliliters/disconnect based on an average from 3 consecutive disconnects. [District Rule 2201 and 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
8. Emissions from light liquid components shall not exceed 0.3 lb-VOC/day. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
9. Permittee shall maintain accurate component count and emissions calculated using CAPCOA Average Emission Factors for Marketing Terminals, from California Implementation Guidelines for Estimating Emissions of Fugitive Hydrocarbon Leaks at Marketing Terminals, Table IV-2b, February 1999. [District Rule 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
10. For this Class 1 organic liquid transfer operation, the emission of VOC from the transfer operation shall not exceed 0.08 pounds per 1,000 gallons of organic liquid transferred. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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11. A leak is defined as the dripping of VOC-containing liquid at a rate of more than three (3) drops per minute; or for organic liquids other than gasoline, the detection of any gaseous or vapor emissions with a concentration of VOC greater than 1,000 ppmv above a background as methane when measured in accordance with the test method in Section 6.3.8 or alternative method approved in writing by the APCO and EPA. Any liquid or gas coming from a component undergoing repair or replacement, or during sampling of process fluid from equipment into a container is not considered a leak provided such activities are accomplished as expeditiously as possible and with minimal spillage of material and VOC emissions to the atmosphere. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
12. Permittee shall inspect the unloading rack for leaks during transfer at least once every calendar quarter using the test method prescribed in Section 6.3.8 of Rule 4624 or alternative method approved in writing by the APCO and EPA. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
13. An operator may apply for a written approval from the APCO to change the inspection frequency from quarterly to annually provided no leaks were found during the inspections required under provisions of Sections 5.9.1 and 5.9.2 of Rule 4624 during five consecutive quarterly inspections. Upon identification of any leak during an annual inspection the frequency shall revert back to quarterly and the operator shall contact the APCO in writing within 14 days. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
14. Corrective steps shall be taken at any time the operator observes a leak or excess drainage at disconnect. All equipment found leaking shall be repaired or replaced within 72 hours. If the leaking component cannot be repaired or replaced within 72 hours, the component shall be taken out of service until such time the component is repaired or replaced. The repaired or replaced equipment shall be reinspected the first time the equipment is in operation after the repair or replacement. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
15. All inspections shall be documented with an inspection log. Inspection records shall include, at a minimum, 1) date of inspection, 2) location and description of any missing, loose, leaking, or damaged equipment and any malfunction requiring repair, 3) corrective steps taken to repair or replace the equipment, 4) test method and results for leak and drainage inspections, 5) location and description of any equipment to be inspected upon commencing operation after repair or replacement and 6) inspector name and signature. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
16. Permittee shall keep records of daily unloading rack throughput and the results of any required leak inspections. [District Rule 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
17. Permittee shall keep records of daily number of truck unloading disconnects. [District Rules 1070 and 2201] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit
18. Records shall be retained for a minimum of five years and shall be made readily available to the APCO, ARB, or EPA during normal business hours and submitted upon request to the APCO, ARB, or EPA. [District Rules 1070 and 4624] Federally Enforceable Through Title V Permit

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